GENERAL PROCUREMENT NOTICE
THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF SOMALIA
MINSIRTY OF LABOUR AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Socio-Economic Reintegration of Ex-Combatants and Youth at Risk Project

1. The Federal Government of Somalia has received a loan to the amount of UA 3.0 Million from the African Development Fund towards the cost of Socio-economic reintegration of ex-combatants and youth at risk project and intends to apply part of the proceeds to payment of goods, works, related services and consulting services to be procured under this project.

2. The main objective of the Project is to equip the youth with the needed social and livelihoods skills for sustainable reintegration into society and help enhance the government’s capacity for tackling youth unemployment.

3. The project includes the following components:

   i. **Support for social rehabilitation and livelihoods activities**: that includes provision of basic training in English language, financial literacy and vocational skills training for 1500 youth. The youth will also be offered basic management skills training and form youth cooperatives. The trainings will be complemented with basic equipment as start-up kits; seed capital for innovative business start-ups; placement of youth in existing enterprises/apprenticeship and study tours for successful youth led enterprises. Monthly allowances will be paid to the trainees and psycho-social counselling for ex-combatants.

   ii. **Capacity Building for Youth Empowerment**: this will cover training of 50 staff from relevant ministries; Preparation of Standard Operating Procedures (including gender guidelines) for reintegration of ex-combatants; Development of a National Employment Policy and Strategic Plan for Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs; Development of a National Gender Equality Strategy; A Study on socio-economic backgrounds of ex-combatants and Mapping of successful youth entrepreneurs in Somalia.

   iii. **Project Management**: that will include development of a project M&E system; project audit and completion reporting; sensitisation of project beneficiaries and the preparation of annual work plans and budgets.

4. Procurement of goods and /or works will be in accordance with the Bank’s Rules of Procedures for the Procurement of Goods and Works. Acquisition of the services of Consultants will follow the Bank’s Rules of Procedures for the Use of Consultants. Bidding documents are expected to be available from May 2016.

5. Interested eligible bidders and interested consultants may obtain further information, and should confirm their interests by contacting:

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